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FM AMEMBASSY RANGOON
TO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK PRIORITY
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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (TEXT CORRECTED)

BANGKOK FOR NCU

STATE FOR S/NM

MANILA FOR USAID CONTRACTING OFFICER FROM HALL

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SNAR, TH
SUBJECT: RFP: HELICOPTER SURVEY

REF: BANGKOK 24828

1. PER PARA 3 REFTEL, THE TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE RFP APPEAR ADEQUATE FOR THE PURPOSE INTENDED. IN SOME RARE CASES IT IS POSSIBLE TO COMBINE THE AIRFRAME AN ENGINE TECHNICIAN, IF THE ONE PERSON IS SO QUALIFIED. HOWEVER, THIS WILL NOT BE KNOWN UNTIL BIDS AND RESUMES ARE REVIEWED. SHOULD THIS BE POSSIBLE THE COSTS WOULD BE REDUCED BY APPROXIMATELY ONE-THIRD.

2. RECOMMEND THAT PARA 7 C REFTEL BE DELETED FROM RFP AND UNCLASSIFIED

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LET THE PROPOSED CONTRACTORS DETERMINE PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS NECESSARY TO COMPLETE THE MISSION. THIS WOULD PUT THE BIDDING PROCESS IN A MORE COMPETITIVE RANGE.

3. WHILE THERE ARE SEVERAL US BASED OPERATORS WHO COULD PERFORM THE FUNCTIONS OUTLINED IN THE RFP, THEY COULD NOT COMPETE WITH THE TWO PROPOSED ADDRESSEES IN REFTEL DUE

TO HIGH MANHOUR RATES AND COSTS OF TRANSPORTATION FROM CONUS
TO BANGKOK. HELI-ORIENT IS THE ONLY AUTHORIZED BELL
HELICOPTER DEALER IN THE REGION AND AIR ASIA ("E") SYSTEMS,
TAIWAN, IS THE ONLY WHOLLY OWNED US COMPANY IN THE REGION
WITH THE CAPABILITY TO COMPLY WITH RFP REQUIREMENTS.
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